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## COLONEL PECK IS TENDERED BIG OVATION

Kiwanians Honor V.C. Holder at Luncheon — Princess Mary Expected to Be 16th Scots' Colonel

### CHRISTMAS SEALS SALES PROGRESS

Colonel C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., M.P.P. for the Islands Riding in the Provincial Legislature, who commanded the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish Battalion in the Great War, was given a luncheon yesterday by members of the Kiwanis Club, when he addressed them at their luncheon in the Empress Hotel on his recent trip to attend the Prince of Wales' dinner in London on his return from the coveted Victoria Cross decoration.

Intimation was given by the speaker-guest that Princess Mary is expected to be appointed colonel-in-chief of the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish Regiment. Lieutenant-Colonel D. B. Martyn, O.C. of the Scottish, said yesterday that it was more than a year since the Governor-General of Canada forwarded to the War Office an application for the appointment of Princess Mary as colonel-in-chief, and the executive believes that no larger or more keenly contested exhibition can be expected, as all classes are well filled.

### EDINBURGH GREETING

"You will hear a great deal more of this regiment, the Royal Scots, as your friendship with them grows older and older. Their regard for the Sixteenth is as strong as ours is for them. I was given a rousing welcome in Edinburgh by the Royal Scots on my visit there," the speaker stated.

The speaker described the banquet tendered the holders of the Victoria Cross by the Prince of Wales, and spoke highly of the assistance given by the Provincial Governments, railway and steamship lines, whose contributions of cash and transportation had made attendance by Canadian V.C.'s at the Prince's dinner possible.

Colonel Harold Hewlett stated that the thirty boys who members of the Kiwanis Boys' Group at the Y.M.C.A. would be entertained at the regular Kiwanis Club luncheon on Tuesday, December 24.

The sale of tuberculosis seals has to date realized \$3,663, with less than one-half the envelopes sent out by the Kiwanis Club accounted for, Vice-president Donald MacAdie said. He asked the public to remit contributions as early as possible or to return undesired seals for accounting.

### HAITI REVOLT SLOWED DOWN

Conditions Now Said to Be Steadily Improving and Situation Is Reported as All Quiet

### STUDENTS MOSTLY BACK IN SCHOOLS

PENTICTON, Dec. 10.—Mr. Charles Oliver, charged with "forcible seizure" of Dr. V. E. Latimer in his international health division, was steadily improving and the trial was adjourned at the Vernon Spring Assizes, which normally take place in either April, May or June.

### BOAT IS ARRESTED

The gasboat Lena F was yesterday arrested at Victoria by Major H. W. Gossin, acting on a claim for some \$1,000 filed for damage by the Victoria Pile Driving Company. The case is to be heard in the Admiralty Court. Heisterman & Tait are representing the plaintiff.

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Goodness Gracious!

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### USE YOUR VOTE

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The Gyro Club has arranged for the whistles of the industrial plants to blow for one hour on the election day, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., as a reminder to citizens to vote.

### Raw Fur Show

Will Open at Willows Today

Reports of the Canadian Legion Convention, held at Regina last month, were submitted to the general meeting of Pro Patria Branch last night by Comrades H. P. Thorpe, J. Waterston and H. W. Hart.

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**POLICE COURT CASES**

In the city police court yesterday before Magistrate George Jay, A. J. Williams was charged with driving to the common danger last Thursday on Johnson Street Bridge. From the alleged fact that his car, when it skidded, broke ten feet of steel railing on the bridge, it was inferred that he had been driving at no easy pace. For the defence it was stated that the car itself was uninjured and that the rate had been only about twenty miles an hour. The roadway was slippery from the rain and the front wheels had skidded on the rails on the bridge, it was explained. The charge was dismissed.

John Johnson pleaded guilty to a

charge of begging, but said that he had been unable to find work through making every effort to do so. He was remanded for further investigation into the case.

**Wife of Rancher  
At Squamish Is  
Burned to Death**

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10.—Terrible burns, suffered when her home at Squamish was destroyed by fire early Monday, caused the death of Mrs. George Jeffries, wife of a Howe Sound rancher, at the General Hospital here shortly before mid-night.

Flames, believed to have started when she tried to light the kitchen stove, completely enveloped Mrs. Jeffries and burned off all her clothes. Her cries attracted her husband, who was at the barn feeding stock. The house was burned to the ground.

All possible was done to assuage Mrs. Jeffries' intense pain. She was taken to Britannia Beach by tugboat and transferred to a Union Steamship Company vessel, which brought her to the city at 6:40 p.m. Monday. She died at the hospital five hours later.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Jeffries is survived by three sons.

**On Bail**

Gunn Singh, who had been sent up for trial on a charge of obstructing a railway, was released on his own recognizance to appear for trial when called, by Judge Lampman in the County Court yesterday morning.

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Suit of Creditors of Ahlberg Gasoline Co. Against Local Shareholders Develops Strange Tale

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A strange tale was partly unfolded in the Supreme Court yesterday, hearing was begun on a test action brought by five creditors of the Ahlberg Gasoline Corporation against Mr. A. T. Goward, as shareholder of the company, claiming from him the sum of \$873 as his share of the unpaid debts of the company, for which he is asserted to be liable under the laws and constitution of California. Writs have been issued against more than three other shareholders.

In the present action the creditors suing as plaintiffs are the American Seamless Tube Corporation, the National City Bank, S. F. Brown & Company, the H. C. Smith Manufacturing Company, the American Oil and Engineering Corporation. Mr. H. A. MacLean, K.C., is appearing for the plaintiffs; and Mr. J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., and Mr. R. M. Macdonald for Mr. Goward, the defendant, from whom the sum of \$873 is sought as his apportionment of the same, as of \$860 claimed as due from the Ahlberg Gasoline Corporation for supplies and services.

Evidence to show that some \$10,000, forming part of the \$860,000, was due to the bank, one of the creditors, for money borrowed was offered to the court on the ground that it was not for any other purpose. Counsel for the defence further opted to have the claim amended to meet this objection, and counsel for the plaintiffs finally decided not to proceed with this evidence.

**BUSINESS METHODS**

Most of the evidence presented to the court had been taken in California by a commission appointed for the purpose. Included in it were statements of witnesses that, in addition to the creditors, the Ahlberg Gasoline Corporation and another Ahlberg company had their offices in the same premises and had largely the same staff. As a general rule, witnesses said, when supplies, such as those on which the creditors' claim was based, were sent to one of these companies, some members of the joint staff ordered them over the telephone, and goods wanted for one company were frequently billed to another. These telephone orders might be given by any one of several persons, each acting on his own discretion, officials of the companies themselves.

Asked if there was any record in any of the company's books of any payment by Mr. Goward for shares, the former they appeared as common stock and in the latter as preferred stock. The register, witness, was written up from the original entries.

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Mr. Failes: "If the company succeeded, they could take the stock. If it failed they could take the part of creditors, and sue the Victoria shareholders."

**AT THEIR DISCRETION**

Mr. Newman further said that the company had no purchasing agent. The Ahlberg Gasoline Company, he explained, was at the time not permitted to issue shares to the public, and the money had therefore been placed to Mr. Ahlberg's personal trust account in a bank; the company had obtained a permit to issue a block of shares to Mr. Ahlberg, and it was certificates for these shares that had been given to Victoria investors, it was stated. Other evidence was to the effect that no actions claiming from California shareholders had been initiated.

**CALIFORNIA SHAREHOLDERS**

Upwards of \$2,000,000 worth of stock was stated to have been allotted to California residents, but certificates had not been issued to them. It was explained that the Ahlberg had transferred properties to the company, and the others had contributed cash on the understanding that they should have the privilege of taking shares for the amounts represented if they wished to do so.

**MR. AHLBERG TESTIFIES**

Evidence given by Frank Ahlberg, president of the company, was also presented. Shares were not at once issued when money was received from Victoria. Asked if the reason was that the company had no legal authority to issue shares, at that time, he said that he had consulted his solicitors and had been told that the company could not do so. A permit had been secured, allowing the company to issue a block of shares to Mr. Ahlberg. It was for these shares that certificates had been issued to the Victoria shareholders. The money paid by Mr. Goward had been deposited in Mr. Ahlberg's trust account, as the shares to be issued to Goward came from those issued to the company to Ahlberg. No proceedings had been taken against any California shareholder for their liability for the indebtedness of the company, Mr. Ahlberg said.

A letter from Mr. Ahlberg, which confirmed his statement, was read. Mr. Newman as to the company's position in the case, if the company succeeded, put the company in the position, if the company succeeded and its stock became valuable, they could take stock at par value, but if it failed, they would remain as creditors and could sue the Victoria shareholders for the unpaid debts.

Mr. Ahlberg himself, appeared in the witness box, and was identified as president of the company and head of the company did business, and who were housed with it in the same offices.

**THE EVIDENCE**

In opening for the plaintiffs, Mr. MacLean read from the examination

of Mr. Goward, who was testifying for the defence, put the in the position, if the company succeeded and its stock became valuable, they could take stock at par value, but if it failed, they would remain as creditors and could sue the Victoria shareholders for the unpaid debts.

The court adjourned to this morning for further hearing of the case.

**SEATTLE BANKER DIES**

SEATTLE, Dec. 10.—Mr. George Trimble, seventy-nine, retired Seattle banker, died suddenly at his home here today. He was standing beside a window watching the snow fall when he collapsed. Mr. Trimble came to Seattle in 1900.

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for discovery of Mr. Goward to show that the defendant was the owner of the Ahlberg Gasoline Company in two lots of fifty shares each of the value of \$100 a share, that the company was incorporated under the laws of California as stated on each share certificate; that it was incorporated on March 9, 1926, and that Mr. Goward was still holder of the certificates.

Evidence taken before the court in the Supreme Court yesterday was next presented to prove that the Ahlberg Gasoline Corporation had been entered by the creditors against the company, and the issue of stock to Mr. Goward, Mr. J. Macnamara, an official of the company, having been called as a witness for that purpose. On cross-examination the witness had been asked whether he was not a fact that the creditors had been entered by the creditors against any California shareholders. He replied, "I know of none." The matter, he said, was in the hands of their attorneys. After the company had got into difficulties an attempt was made to rehabilitate it, but apparently not with success. Goods had been supplied to the company by the creditors in December, 1926, when Mr. Goward was a shareholder.

On counsel for the plaintiffs proceeding to present evidence of indebtedness to the National City Bank, one of the plaintiffs, counsel for the defence objected, and after argument the presentation of this evidence was not proceeded with.

**HOUSED TOGETHER**

N. J. Newman, who had been an attorney for the creditors and had taken an active part in its management in the Ahlberg Gasoline Corporation, Mr. H. C. Smith, president of the American Oil and Engineering Corporation, Mr. H. A. MacLean, K.C., is appearing for the plaintiffs; and Mr. J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., and Mr. R. M. Macdonald for Mr. Goward, the defendant, from whom the sum of \$873 is sought as his apportionment of the same, as of \$860 claimed as due from the Ahlberg Gasoline Corporation for supplies and services.

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## DARDANELLES HOLDS TRAFFIC IN WEST END

Mr. Leonard A. Campbell Tells Election Meeting of Need for Clubhouse in Songhees Park Grounds

### BROTHERHOOD'S EFFORTS TOLD

That Victoria West has a Dardanelles problem of its own transpired at an election meeting held last evening at Stanley Hall.

Mr. Leonard A. Campbell, well-known resident, speaking on behalf of the Victoria West Brotherhood, said:

"Much traffic from the City to the City is now along Esquimalt Road and then by way of Springfield and Front Streets to Craigflower Road, instead of via Catherine Street and Skinner Street, owing to the hills and conditions of these latter two streets. The road near Hill's corner is one of the most dangerous spots in the city, being only thirty feet wide in places. The road must be widened ten or twenty feet, and properties fronting on the road bought. This must be done, unless the Council can get Skinner Streets improved and more greatly utilized by traffic."

#### CLUBHOUSE NEEDED

Speaking of the Victoria West park, Mr. Campbell said, "we have not been badly treated by the Council. However, if the grounds were taken hold of and rolled at certain parts of the year much improvement would be made. We have had a grant of \$1,600 for a bowling green, but we need a clubhouse. People here are ready, if the Council gets behind it, to raise money to erect a clubhouse which will be a credit and an asset to the city."

The speaker stated that if a park is to be in the main Victoria West, Esquimalt and the industrial concerns on the reserve would be without water. This matter of fire protection was vital to the district, and the Victoria West Brotherhood has been trying to secure improvements in this respect.

"There are many sidewalks in the district in poor condition, and the West Bay Beach is in need of improvement. We are working to see if this condition at the beach cannot be bettered."

"We suggest," he said, "that a committee of the City Council or the mission investigate the question of reverted lands and see if something can be done for those people who have lost in many cases their homes through failure to pay taxes."

In conclusion Mr. Campbell felt the city should make a special rate for water to people to beautify their gardens. "The city has lots of water, and it could be used to great advantage to the city in this way, and more of it would be utilized if a special rate was given."

The Beak—And you really carried out this theft by yourself?

The Sneak—Yes, your honor; nowadays there is no one left whom one can really trust."

Mrs. P. Peeve: Mr. and Mrs. Dix can quarrel in the politest terms.

Husband: A perfectly civil war, eh?

"Your wife was outspoken at our club meeting today."

"By whom? I'd like to meet the lady."

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## City & District

Attend Executive—Hon. R. W. Bruhn, president of the council, and Hon. R. L. Maitland, K.C., Minister Without Portfolio, were in the city yesterday attending the meetings of the Executive Council.

Arrives for Festival—Mr. Harold Eustace Key, who will again direct the musical festival of the Victoria Lodge, arrived at the Empress Hotel. He has been engaged at the English Music Festival at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto.

Feed the Birds—In view of snow, and prospects for a further fall, the S.P.C.A. through Adeline Brand, executive, issued an appeal for feeding of the birds during the season when the opportunities to secure food in natural ways is limited.

Shipments of Christmas Trees—While the number of trees going out by rail appears to have increased this year, some of the Christmas trees from Vancouver Island are going far afield, one car lot being consigned to a destination in Louisiana.

Japanese Secretary—Mr. S. Katoh, first secretary to the Japanese Embassy, and Mr. W. C. D. Arrowsmith, secretary, yesterday morning to meet Mr. Reijiro Wakatsuki and Admiral Count Hyo Takarabe, delegates from the London Five-Power Naval Disarmament Conference.

New Member of Board—In place of Mr. W. C. D. Arrowsmith, who has resigned, the Government has appointed Lieut.-Colonel A. D. Wilson, D.S.O., of Vancouver, and Captain W. H. Molson, of Victoria, A.D.C. to the Lieutenant-Governor, members of the board of Canteen Fund trustees in British Columbia. Lieut.-Colonel W. W. Foster, D.S.O., third member of the board.

Praise for Berries—In a letter received from the firm of W. & J. McLintock, of Glasgow, which has taken the trial shipment of processed berries from British Columbia put up this season under Government contract, the statement is made that the fruit was of good color, of excellent size and retained the flavor of absolutely fresh fruit. The Dominion Government Trade Commissioner for Scotland and Northern Ireland, Mr. G. B. Johnson, corroborated the statement of the firm.

Off for Antipodes—Mrs. Maye Albee-Bushnell, who spends the Summer and Autumn in Victoria each year when returning from various parts of the world, will leave here aboard R.M.S. *Aorangi* this evening for a tour of New Zealand, Australia, and the Orient, via South Africa and England. Mrs. Albee-Bushnell, who has been to nearly every country in the world during the past thirty years, toured Europe and the United States before the war as a concert organist. Each time she leaves the city she takes away several pounds of Publicity Bureau literature for distribution.

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# Women's Work and Institutes

## Women's Clubs and Societies

### Salt Spring Guilds

The Women's Auxiliary, St. Mark's Guild and the Girls' Parish Guild held a successful combined sale of work last Saturday. The sum of \$175 was taken, and the expenses of \$17 were paid. The Women's Auxiliary stall was in the hands of Mrs. Moorehouse; pick and take, Mrs. Johnson; the St. Mark's Guild, Mrs. Fletcher and Mrs. E. Nelson; the Girls' Parish, Mrs. Gandy; fancywork, Mrs. Alan Cartwright and others. The bean guessing competition in charge of Miss M. Cunningham, was won by Canon Flenton, the prize being a cushion. The weight of the cake, donated by Mrs. Beech, was correctly guessed and won by Mrs. Johnson. A drawing competition, managed by Mrs. H. A. Robinson, was won by Miss J. A. Morrison. The putting competition, run by Mrs. T. F. Speed, was won by Miss Shirley Wilson. Teas were in the hands of Mrs. Beech, Mrs. Goodrich and help-

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city; fortune telling, Miss E. Hamilton. The W.A. stalls realized \$32. St. Mark's Guild, \$15; Girls' Parish Guild, \$10. During the afternoon, piano selections were rendered by Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. William Palmer and Miss Shirley Wilson; vocal solo, Mrs. H. A. Robinson; violin, Miss Bride Wilson.

### Fulford Altar Society

A most successful five hundred drive, originated by the ladies of the St. Paul's Altar Society, took place last Friday evening at the Institute. The total amount of \$175 was taken, and the expenses of \$17 were paid. A substantial sum will be placed to the society's funds. Father Scheelhan was master of ceremonies for the evening, twenty-five tables taking part in the card game. For the dance following there were about 200 guests present. The hall was elegantly and simply decorated for the Christmas season with garlands, festoons of leaves and paper falling from the large central bell to the walls. The supper room also looked pretty with its evergreens, bronze and white chrysanthemums being used for the tables. The first prize winners for five hundred were Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Edna Morris, Messrs. K. Mollett and R. T. Lewis; second prize winners were Mr. and Mrs. D. Tweedie, Messrs. Johnstone, K. Moore and Mrs. J. Morrison. Dancing was enjoyed to the strains of the Novel Five Orchestra until 12 o'clock.

### W.B.A. Welcome Club

The W.B.A. Welcome Club will meet tomorrow, when supper will be served at 6 o'clock. After a short service, last week's sewing will be continued. Any women or girls who care to join the meeting are invited.

### Tea Postponed

The Navy League of Canada has postponed the silver tea, which was to be held today at the home of Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake, 1601 Belmont Avenue indefinitely, owing to the weather.

### Ganges Chapter, I.O.D.E.

On Friday afternoon at Harbour House, Ganges, and organized by the Ganges Chapter, I.O.D.E., a most interested gathering of Salt Spring residents listened intently to Madame Laura de Turcynowicz, who, after being introduced by the regent, Mrs. W. E. Scott, lectured on her experiences in Poland leading to her return to the United States, and after the death of her husband, her return to her devastated castle, her hardships while there with her three children down with typhus, her subsequent removal with her family to Holland and thence to the United States. She lectured to a massed meeting telling her story of bridge and one of crib. Mrs. E. Scott won the ladies' first prize; Mrs. H. Dougan the second; Mr. J. Northcote won the men's first prize; Mr. J. Saunders the second, and Mr. R. T. Lewis the consolation. Mr. C. Forster was the crib winner. After supper the Morrison orchestra played for the dancing.

### W.B.A. of Nanaimo

The regular meeting of the Women's Benefit Association of Macmillan was included election and installation of officers in short form. Past president, Mrs. Louis Lawrence, announced the following: Past president, Mrs. J. Addison; president, Mrs. L. Millburn; vice-president, Mrs. L. Stephenson; recording secretary, Mrs. D. Dobinson; press correspondent, Mrs. Albert Bain; treasurer, Mrs. J. Welch; lady of ceremonies, Mrs. A. Dean; sergeant, Mrs. A. Stanford; inner hostess, Mrs. A. Miller; outer hostess, Mrs. A. Johnson; musician, Mrs. Milton McDonald; captain of the guard, Mrs. Brunt; color bearers, Mrs. G. Barass, Mrs. Scales, Mrs. Beck and Mrs. J. Addison.

### Typographical W.A.

The monthly meeting of W.A. No. 65 to the Victoria Typographical Union will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p.m., in Eagles' Hall.

### Nanaimo Conservatives

A very enjoyable evening was had by the Nanaimo Conservative Association in their Legion Hall, which was crowded to capacity to enjoy a good game of whist, dancing and the serving of dainty refreshments. The winners at whist were: Ladies, first, Mrs. Coulthard; second, Miss Ethel May; third, Mrs. Dykes; gentlemen, first, J. Salmon; second, J. Morris; third, J. Morrison. The winners of the drawings were First, turkey, J. E. Muzzio; second, cake, Mrs. William White; third, E. Patten. Dancing was enjoyed to the strains of the Novel Five Orchestra until 12 o'clock.

### W.A. Qualicum Beach Branch

The Women's Auxiliary of the Qualicum Beach Branch of the Canadian Legion held a successful whist drive and dance in the Institute on Saturday.

There were thirteen tables of bridge and one of crib. Mrs. E. Scott won the ladies' first prize; Mrs. H. Dougan the second; Mr. J. Northcote won the men's first prize; Mr. J. Saunders the second, and Mr. R. T. Lewis the consolation. Mr. C. Forster was the crib winner. After supper the Morrison orchestra played for the dancing.

### Florence Nightingale Chapter

The Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., held a successful sale of wine and bridge party on December 9, at the New Thought Hall, Fort Street. The first prize in the bridge was won by Mrs. Harris, second by Mrs. Davis. The capon was won by Mrs. B. Temple, McPherson Avenue; the lamp by Mrs. Vickers, Moss Street, and the French doll by Mrs. Craven, Eastman Street.

### Educational Auxiliary

The Women's Educational Auxiliary of the United Church will hold its Christmas tea tomorrow at 3:30 o'clock in the Metropolitan Church basement. The following artists will appear on the programme: Miss Jessie Jones, piano solo; Miss Styles Sehl, Madame Stavrov, Mrs. Phillips, vocal selections; Miss Nora Garcia, reading; Miss Muriel Franklin, violin solo.

### Brentwood W.A.

The annual meeting of the W.A. St. Stephen's and St. Mary's branch will be held at the home of Mr. A. Guy, Clarke Avenue, tomorrow afternoon. All members are requested to attend.

### Typographical W.A.

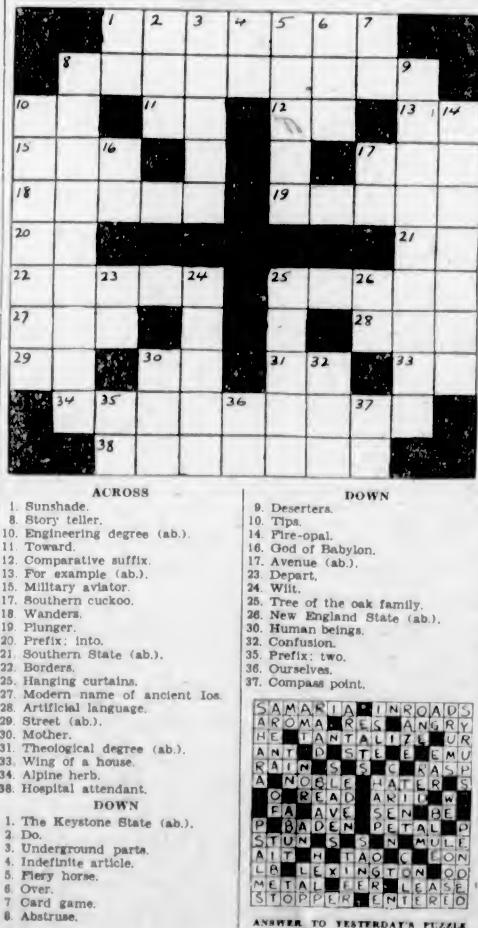
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### APPLIED GLOVES

To match the beauteous embroidery, a pair of afternoon bags, are gloves with the same stitching. The backs in lieu of the customary stitching. Floral appliques are shown on the backs and border the wrist sections of other French models. The street glove is given a modernistic applique that is both colorful and quite unique. A special glove to perpetuate color note in a definite costume is made with a gauntlet cuff in the required color in contrast to the glove.

Little Jack had been so persistent in asking that his mother just had to give him a good spanking, and all that afternoon a desire for revenge ranked in his little brain. At his bedtime came, and kneeling down, he said his evening prayer, asking a blessing upon all the members of the family individually—except one. Then rising, he turned to his mother with a triumphant look, saying as he climbed into bed, "I suppose you wasn't in it?"

### The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



## Newest Cloak for Evening



THIS laminated evening cloak is an example of the trend in evening wear for the Winter season. Colored designs on a black background form the material proper, while luxurious grey fox at the collar supplies the one note of contrast.

## How Toronto Handles Its Christmas Lighting Plan

Trees, Gay With Lights, Shed a Glow of Cheer Over the City — Householders Encouraged to Illuminate Front Lawns

In connection with the subject which was before the City Council on Monday to induce a general illumination of Christmas trees at the forthcoming festival, developing the idea carried out here a year ago, a great deal of space is being given to Toronto in the idea, owing to the fact that a leading newspaper of the city gives trophies to encourage the best display in store windows.

The idea of "lighting up for Christmas" began in Rochester and spread rapidly and the continent. Commercial displays usually take the form of strings of festoons of lights arranged on the building front, sometimes outlining the building, sometimes showing a lighted star or wreath, or sometimes Christmas trees lighted with the special outdoor, weatherproof strings provided for this purpose.

### ILLUMINATION COSTS LITTLE

Residential installations vary with the type of house front. Christmas trees on the lawn are the ideal method of displaying the colored lights, and business firms in Toronto have begun the practice of supplying a medium size tree about eight feet high by five feet across, planted in a large pail or small barrel of sand, for installation anywhere in place of permanent trees. It is also possible to make arrangements for a large tree with heavy lighting, fully lighted with twenty-five-watt colored standard base lamps, with connection to the wiring system inside a building. Smaller lamps may be obtained in such a plan. The small house owner may get his own Christmas tree for a dollar or so, set it up and light it with the small Christmas tree lamp strings, which have plug and socket for attaching to a veranda socket.

Considering the wonderful effect, the island of light created by such display, the cost is not heavy. Once the lamps are bought, with the wiring, there is little repetition of expense, as the same installation does each year. The cost of current is also trifling.

"Your friend Wheeler is a crank on punctuality, isn't he?" said Smith.

"I should say he is," replied Brown. "Why, he even carries his lamps in the hip pocket of his trousers to prevent ever being behind time."

### Rheumatic Sufferers — Can Get Well —

Eat meat sparingly, and take but little sugar. Avoid intoxicants. Keep away from dampness. Drink water freely and rely upon Nerviline as quick relief for pain. "I proclaim Nerviline an infallible relief for rheumatism," writes S. A. Brunton from Augusta. "After years of suffering, I can say it is the most penetrating liniment I ever used. With Nerviline I have rubbed away all my aches and pains, and I urge others to use Nerviline for sore joints, stiffness and muscular pain." All dealers sell Nerviline in 25-cent bottles.

## MINISTER HAS TO RETURN HOME

Unable to Carry Through Investigation Into Japanese School Situation in Richmond

Hon. Joshua Hinchcliffe, Minister of Education, is expected to arrive back in the capital this morning, coming by the night steamer from Vancouver. The mission of the Minister of Education to the Mainland failed to be carried out in detail owing to the fact that he experienced disagreeable weather, which effected his flight, returning a previous trouble he experienced. He therefore had to postpone his investigation into the Japanese school situation in Richmond.

A dispatch from the Mainland yesterday conveyed the information that Mr. Hinchcliffe was unable to make a survey of Richmond schools owing to illness. The minister was reported to have been ordered by his physician to stay in bed for a few days.

It had been the intention of the Minister of Education to personally investigate the conditions confronting Richmond School Board in connection with the increasing number of Japanese children attending the schools of the municipality.

### Caligula's Galley

(ROME) (By Mail)—That methods of shipbuilding have undergone practically no change for 1,900 years is the opinion of experts who are examining the remains of the largest of the pleasure galleys of the Roman Emperor Caligula.

The holder of the vessel, which is so fragmentary, is being lowered down to get into it, still contains remnants of the ruined superstructure, including bits of colored mosaic tiles and oddments of decorations which at one time adorned the deck.

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Three oars, about eight feet long, fragments of rope, portions of tars, and a pump have been found in the hold.

The presence of these galleys has been known for many centuries, but all attempts to raise them have failed. Caligula used them as a refuge from the Summer heat of Rome. Banquets were given on board and the masts and rigging were decked with roses. Amidst luxurios surroundings dancing girls and prostitutes served the Emperor and his guests.

Caligula lived from A.D. 12 to 41, and was assassinated.

Husband: I've sprained my ankle. Call some one to help me to the doctor's office.

Wife: Just a minute. I'll get the man that carries out the rubbish.

Bobbie: But why do you reject me? Is there another fellow?

Bessie: Possibly! Did you think you were the last of the species?

## Red Tag Sale

WONDERFUL VALUES IN WATCHES

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### GENT'S WATCHES

12-Bliss: Watches with 15-jeweled movements, in plain, enameled or gold-filled cases. Regular \$16.50. Sale \$8.95

Same as above with 17 jewels. Regular \$23.00. Sale \$11.45

Gent's Wrist Watches, cushion-shaped, steel or silver cases, with 15-jeweled movements. Regular \$12.50. Sale \$6.25

Ladies' 12-Bliss: Choice of shapes and cases. All fitted with round bracelets. Regular \$18.00. Sale \$9.00

Ladies' Wrist Watches, cushion-shaped, oval or square, in white, green or red gold-filled cases, with 15-jeweled movements. Regular \$12.50. Sale \$6.25

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Men's Wrist Watches, white gold-filled cases. Choice of plain or carved materials, jeweled movement. English seen on suede strap. A very dainty and serviceable watch. Regular \$12.50. Sale \$6.25

Ladies' Oblong or Rectangular Wrist Watches, 14-Bliss: Gold, white, green or red gold, choice of plain or carved materials, jeweled movement. English seen on suede strap. Regular \$12.50. Sale \$6.25

Ladies' 14-Bliss: Gold, white, green or red gold, choice of plain or carved materials, jeweled movement. English seen on suede strap. Regular \$12.50. Sale \$6.25

Ladies' Oblong or Rectangular Wrist Watches, with second hands in solid gold cases. All fitted with round bracelets. Regular \$14.00. Sale \$7.00

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## At The Playhouses

**Dominion** Dorothy Lee, eighteen, diminutive and pretty, lived for seventeen years across the street from the Radio Pictures Studio. From the age of fourteen she tried "on" the stage. She couldn't even get extra work. Bert Gleeson saw her and gave her an important part in "Hypnotization," Radio Pictures' first all-musical talkie. Dorothy is one of the featured stars in "Rio Rita," the all-talking, all-musical radio picture extravaganza, adapted from Ziegfeld's hit, which shows at the Dominion Theatre all this week.

**Capitol** Richard Arden is wearing a British uniform for the first time since the world war. During that conflict he was a pilot in the Royal Flying Corps, his aerial work, however, being limited to flying ships from England to France. It was seventeen at that time. He is wearing the British uniform again, this time that of a captain attached to a company in Egyptian Sudan in "The Four Feathers," which plays all this week at the Capitol Theatre.

**Coliseum** "Greeting Neighbors," the current stage attraction at the Coliseum Theatre, is one of the finest plays seen at this popular house since the "Toby" Leitch Company came to Victoria. It abounds in clever humor and is brilliantly acted by the cast of well-liked actors and actresses. Charlie Hunt and his ten-piece orchestra is also appearing. The Coliseum is also appearing, and is proving popular in a programme of the latest and peppiest dance hits from the large centres of England and the Eastern United States.

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### AMUSEMENTS

**ON THE SCREEN**  
Capitol—"The Four Feathers," starring William Powell. Columbia—John Barrymore in "Tempest."

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Coliseum—Vaudelle and stock company. **Playhouse**—Harry C. Willis and company present "Dolly of the Follies." **Crystal Garden**—Swimming and dancing.

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### BRITISH FARMERS IN VERY BAD WAY

**Sir Walter Gilbey Declares That Agriculture in Old Country Is in State of Collapse**

**LONDON**, Dec. 10.—The plight of British agriculture was the theme of a speech delivered by Sir Walter Gilbey, at a luncheon here yesterday. Referring to a recent statement by Right Hon. Noel Buxton, Minister of Agriculture, in the House of Commons, that he was unable to accept the suggestion that the agriculture industry was in such a state as to demand special immediate relief measures, Sir Walter said he was sure Mr. Buxton could not understand the situation. He (Mr. Buxton), must know if it were for the forbearance of the banks and other creditors of the British agriculturists, many of whom would be wound up at the present time.

#### DUMPING MENACE

Undoubtedly the agricultural industry, under existing circumstances, is collapsing, said Sir Walter. The farmer did not want temporary help. They all knew no class in the community could trade against the serious dumping menace the country was now going through. The farmer has had to have some subsidy or bounty to meet this menace of dumping, as the farming industry could not continue much longer unless permanent assistance was given.

"My dear," remarked Jinks, who had finished reading a book on "The Wonders of Nature," "this is a remarkable work. Nature is marvelous! I wonder which read book like this. It makes me think how puny, how insignificant is man."

"Huh!" said his wife. "A woman doesn't have to wade through four hundred pages to discover that!"

#### On the Stage

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Played by the Pupils of the DUNCAN SCHOOL OF DANCING  
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Held in the Concert Hall. Make up your party and telephone 2297 for table reservation. Tickets, \$1.00 each (including supper).

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## Between Twelve and One

By VERNON LODER

**CHAPTER III**  
He offered Clive a cigarette from his case and lighted one himself. It seemed as if he had taken himself a particular fancy to Merton, who was himself taken with the attentive secretary.

"Lucky man," replied Clive. "I suppose you are too much engaged in his business to study parlor tricks."

Mand shook his head. "No. Not at all. I know no more about this business than the man in the moon. But I am busy all the same. I do the social side of his correspondence, which is a big thing in itself. I have to attend to the critics, but you would have been before the immense, and sometimes pathetic, bag of appeals that comes to us every day. The penalty of wealth, don't you know. I can't swear it is strictly true, but Mr. Cupola boasts that he has the whole weight of his business on his shoulders, as well as being interesting enough to keep one's rapt attention during the fifty minutes of action, and the musical numbers interspersed between scenes add greatly to the entertainment.

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When the Four-Nation Pelagic Sealing Treaty Was Negotiated Owners and Crews of British Vessels Expected Compensation for Loss of Occupations and Investments

## Japan Paid Obligations Canada Has Yet to Do So

Victoriaans who were at one time actively engaged in the sealing industry, either as owners of vessels or as members of their crews, still retain the hope that some day they will receive compensation for losses sustained in investments and means of livelihood.

Under an agreement known as the Four Nations Pelagic Sealing Treaty, Canada is yearly in receipt of a consideration of \$1,000,000 from the United States, Japan and Russia. The United States pays Canada 15 per cent of the proceeds of sales from the Bering Sea rockers. Russia pays a like amount for seals marketed from the Commander Islands, and Japan pays 10 per cent for skins taken from the Robbin and St. Jones rockers. For the present, the sealers of Canada will mark 40,000 skins, and Canada's share will be \$60,000 if the skins bring \$15 each, a fair valuation. As the Victoria sealers make this possible, the sealers claim they are entitled to a reasonable compensation, and that the Government of Canada should pay it, the claims being based on an appraisal made by a Canadian commission of the losses of compensation when the industry was abandoned. When the Prime Minister of Canada was in Victoria recently, a deputation representing claimants for compensation, so that an equitable adjustment of the matter could be made. A point convenient with the whole question is furnished The Colonist with a brief history of the sealing business, as it concerns the sealers' claims.

### GENESIS OF BUSINESS

The sealing industry virtually started in 1873, with a few vessels hunting in the North Pacific Ocean and in Bering Sea. By 1894 the fleet had increased to fifty-nine vessels, all operating on the high seas outside the territorial jurisdiction of any nation, and the business had become a profitable one. Vessels were built or purchased for the express purpose of hunting seals in the waters of the North Pacific Ocean and in Bering Sea, and for this purpose could not be excused, but were of little use for anything else. The seals so hunted had their rockers on shore, where they resorted for breeding. None of these rockers were in British territory, but were situated in territory of the United States, Japan and Russia. The United States leased the privilege of killing seals on land in their territory, and such privilege was profitably to the lessers and a considerable rental therefrom was paid to the United States. Great Britain, which had been operating for years without any objection from anyone, the United States laid claim to exclusive jurisdiction in the Bering Sea, claiming that sea as a mere clausum, and that British sealers had no right to seal therein, and in 1888 and 1887 armed vessels of the United States seized vessels of British Columbia sealing vessels operating in that sea, out of which arose the Bering Sea question between Great Britain and the United States. Great Britain had no right whatever in these seas nor had the Dominion of Canada. Great Britain was only interested because of the fact that the business of her subjects had been interfered with and their property seized and confiscated by a foreign power.

### THE BRITISH CASE

The British Government supported the claim of the British sealers that they had the right to pursue their sealing there, and recognized the principle that compensation was involved with the natural rights of British subjects on the high seas; and in 1891, as a friendly act in the interests of a friendly United States, Great Britain and the United States prohibited the international prohibition of pelagic sealing, and Right Hon. W. H. Smith said to the House of Commons: "I am going to do a friendly act in the interest of a friendly power; but, if I do that and interfere with certain men and their business, I shall pay out of the British Exchequer, upon proportion, as to how far they have been affected by this partial prohibition." A modus vivendi was agreed upon by the United States and Great Britain; and this modus

### Piles Go Quick

#### Without Salves or Cutting

Thousands who have piles have not found that quick and permanent relief can be accomplished with external medicaments. Neither cutting nor any amount of treatment with ointments and suppositories will remove the cause.

Bad circulation causes piles. There is a complete stagnation of blood in the lower bowel and a weakening of the parts. Dr. J. S. Leonhard, South African, and called it his prescription HEM-ROID. He tried it in 1,000 cases with the marvelous record of success in 96 per cent, and then decided it should be sold by druggists everywhere under a rigid money-back guarantee.

Don't waste any more time with outside applications. Get the package of HEM-ROID from MacFarlane Drug Co., Vancouver Drug Co., today. It has given safe and lasting relief to thousands and will do the same for you, or costs you nothing.

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"Canada had by a separate treaty recently entered into with the United States agreed to the principle involved in assenting to a temporary cessation of pelagic sealing within a circumscribed area for a pecuniary consideration. Your attitude will be taken from prior negotiations, viz, that Canada is prepared to abstain from her undoubted right only in return for an adequate consideration."

In July, 1911, a treaty between Great Britain, the United States, Japan and Russia was entered into, which prohibited sealing from 1911 to 1926, and subject to a further term. The value of the concessions obtained by Great Britain under that treaty had been estimated by Professor Elliott, well known as an expert in matters relating to seal life and sealing, at \$7,500,000. The amount of compensation to be paid by the United States was to pay Great Britain as advance payment on account, in lieu of fur skins, the sum of \$200,000.

The Government of Japan appreciated \$1,200,000 yen, or approximately \$600,000, to compensate the Japanese sealers for the prohibition of pelagic sealing by the convention of 1911, and this was paid to the Japanese sealers within six months after such prohibition came into force.

When Dr. Willan has entrusted the Canadian minister, and by United States authorities, all of whom concurred in the validity of the claims, the men who kept the flag flying in the North Pacific Ocean and in Bering Sea, furnishing the opportunity that enabled Canada to secure the valuable partnership in the fur seal business with the United States, Japan and Russia, have received nothing for the loss of their investments and means of livelihood.

Groups are also to be presented by the two artists, including the well-known Handel-Harty suite. Miss Hood, in these, proves herself a violinist with a deep and vigorous style and with exceptionally well-shaped phrasings, while Miss MacMillan is a pianist of the most delicate, diffusing herself particularly in works by Ireland and Goossens which hold a prominent place in the programme of the third concert.

Jean Howe, soprano, accompanying Miss MacMillan and Miss Hood on this tour, does praiseworthy work, showing admirable taste in selection of her vehicles, which she performs with grace and a beauty of voice.

"Why didn't you go to the help of the defendant?" asked the examining counsel. "You saw that the two men were fighting."

"Yes," said the witness, "but I had no means then of telling which one was going to be the defendant."

DOCTOR DARES FLU TO ATTACK HIM

Dr. Robt. G. Jackson says positively colds, "flu, pneumonia will not attack him. He says: "For everyone protection is only a matter of proper dress, their natural defenses," as he directs in his book "How to Be Always Well." Formerly, he had colds winter and summer, but he had his last cold in 1913 and declares he will never have another. He escapes by keeping his blood alkaline through eating alkali-forming foods, proper care of the skin, proper breathing, physical cleanliness, etc., but the chief thing is alkaline food. His chief protective food is alkaline-forming Roman Meal (the only meal), helped out by other alkaline foods listed in "How to Be Always Well." Eat Roman Meal and write for his free booklet, "How to Keep Well," to Robt. G. Jackson, 315 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., or write for free sample of Roman Meal.

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In August, 1909, Hon. William Templeman telephoned for a deputation of sealers to meet the Governor-General, Earl Grey, in regard to sealing matters. On September 26, 1909, the sealers' representatives, Earl Grey, told them Sir Wilfrid Laurier had requested him to inquire the minimum amount the sealers would accept, and they said \$500,000. He then asked the sealers if they would be willing to take payment on account, the balance to be spread over a term of years. This was agreed to, and the preferred payments bore interest. He said, "Will you put that in writing?" The sealers promised, and it was handed to him in Vancouver the following afternoon. From that time on the sealers have repeatedly urged for a settlement of their claims.

INDEPENDENT SEALERS

In the meantime certain sealers began to seal in spite of the regulations. They were enabled to continue, as the owners stated in open court, by the fact that the sealers' sealing company also continued to send out a few vessels until 1908. Subsequently an international conference was arranged to meet at Washington. On May 8, 1911, the Premier of Canada, in the confidential observations for the general guidance of the Canadian delegates to the international conference, stated:

THE SEALING COMMISSION

For recognition of their rights, the sealers kept on making representations to Ottawa. On June 10, 1911, a sealing commission, the Joint High Commission, which had been appointed at Quebec in September, 1888. The sealers' claims were submitted, and it was finally conceded at that time that the claim for compensation was a just one, and that any settlement with the United States should involve some compensation being made. In 1888, to ascertain the value of the vessels and outfit with a view to indemnifying the sealing interests, Captain H. C. Taylor, of the Canadian Government, was appointed appraiser on behalf of the Canadian Government. The valuation of Captain Taylor was \$553,129.72. On the assembling of the commission at Washington, the American commissioners offered, through Sir Louis Davies, then Minister of Marine and Fisheries, to pay the sum of \$450,000 to the sealers to give up their vessels and outfit. Sir Louis Davies recommended the sealers to accept this offer, and the sealers agreed to accept this amount as compensation, and retain their vessels and outfit.

For some time prior to January 22, 1909, the United States had been willing to give Canada a share of the seal catch of the Pribilof Islands, but had been told by the British Ambassador that some pecuniary compensation ought to be paid in consideration of a discontinuance of sealing by British Columbia vessels for any period, and suggested that the United States

should be given \$450,000. This was suggested by him to the Government and refused, whereupon he retired from the case.

While sitting on the commission, the commissioner gave every indication, through remarks made, that he would find in favor of the sealers, but, on the East, he announced, "That no one had any legal claim under the treaty or regulations. Anything they would receive would be through the grace, bounty and benevolence of the Crown. That only the owners of five vessels sealing in 1910 and their masters, boat steers and crews, should be entitled to compensation, as sealing, as also Indians." He allowed all claims for anything before the regulations came into force (May 1, 1894), as beyond the scope of his commission.

On November 22, 1916, a letter was written the Premier of Canada asking for a rehearing, and Sir Hibbert Tupper subsequently interviewed the Premier and wrote that the Premiers' favorable disposition to the sealers' requests, but subsequently they were informed by the Deputy Minister of Naval Affairs that the matter was concluded.

CONTRAST IN ACTION

The results of the Bering Sea question to date are: That the Japanese sealers, who did not pay any attention to the regulations and disregarded the three-mile limit from shore, have been compensated by their Government from carrying on, while the sealers of Canada, who did not pay any attention to the regulations and disregarded the three-mile limit from shore, have been compensated by their Government from carrying on, while the Japanese sealers, who did not pay any attention to the regulations and disregarded the three-mile limit from shore, have been compensated by their Government from carrying on, while the sealers of Canada, who did not pay any attention to the regulations and disregarded the three-mile limit from shore, have been compensated by their Government from carrying on, while the Japanese sealers, who did not pay any attention to the regulations and disregarded the three-mile limit from shore, have been compensated by their Government from carrying on, while the sealers 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# CUBS HOLD LEAGUE-LEADING ESKIMOS TO DRAW

Morenz's Two Goals in Overtime Give Canadiens Win Over Cougars

## Flying Frenchmen Come From Behind To Defeat Detroit

Score Is 5 to 3 as Canadiens Move Up in N.H.L.—Lowly Pirates Give Bruins Hard Fight, But Lose by 5-4—Americans Trim Leafs, 1-0

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Two blistering goals from the stick of Morenz in the overtime period, tonight gave Montreal Canadiens, 5-3, a victory over the Detroit Cougars in their National Hockey League struggle. Detroit was in the lead for most of the game, but Canadiens came from behind twice to tie it up and eventually to win out.

### The Line-Ups

Detroit—Canadiens  
Goalie—goal—Hainsworth  
Defence—defence—S. Mantha  
Defence—defence—Burke  
Centre—Morenz  
Wing—Weslie  
Wing—G. Carson  
Detroit subs—Rockburn, Connors, Curie, Lewis, Brophy, Hughes and Belliveau.

Canadiens subs—Lepine, Leduc, Laroche, Mondou, G. Mantha.  
Referees—Mallinson and Denney.  
Summary  
First Period—1, Detroit, Aurie from Connor, 8:50; 2, Detroit, Goodwin from Hay, 2:30; 3, Canadiens, Lepine from Mantha, 4:19; 4, Canadiens, Leduc, 10:13.  
Second Period—5, Detroit, Cooper from Lewis, 14:45.  
Third Period—6, Canadiens, Mantha, 14:45.  
Overtime Period—Canadiens, Morenz from Mantha, 1:12; 8, Canadiens, Morenz, 3:52.

### FREDRICKSON HURT

BOSTON, Dec. 10.—The Bruins played the lowly Pittsburgh Pirates from a loosely played N.H.L. hockey game here tonight by a 5-4 score. During the game, Frank Fredrickson, the Pirates' playing manager, injured his knee and had to be carried from the ice.

Though the champions were in command at all stages, the Pirates pressed them hard.

### The Line-Ups

Boston—Pittsburgh  
Goalie—goal—Miller  
Defence—defence—Smith  
Centre—defence—McKinnon  
Wing—Wing—Mills  
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Boston subs—Weland, Clapper, Gainer, Barry, McKay, Gagne and Owen.  
Pittsburgh subs—McCaffery, Lower, Drury, White, Briden, Jarvis and Manners.

Official—Orbeau and O'Hara.  
Summary  
First Period—1, Boston, Carson from Barry, 2:24; 2, Boston, Weiland from Shupe, 8:03; 3, Pittsburgh, Fredrickson from Darragh, 13:16; 4, Boston, Clapper from Gainer, 7:40; 5, Pittsburgh, Lower from Milks, 18:25.

Second Period—6, Boston, Clapper from Weland and Gainer, 7:40; 7, Boston, Shupe, 10:27; 8, Pittsburgh, Lower, 11:46.

Third Period—9, Pittsburgh, White from Jarvis, 6:23.

### LEAFS GO UNDER

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The re-

constructed New York Americans scored their second victory of the National Hockey League season, to defeat the league-leading Toronto Maple Leafs 1-0. It was the third time this season Toronto has figured in a one-goal game, losing two of them.

Although a great part of the improvement in the Americans was due to the newly added reserve strength, it was their veteran player-manager,

John Ross, who was the key.

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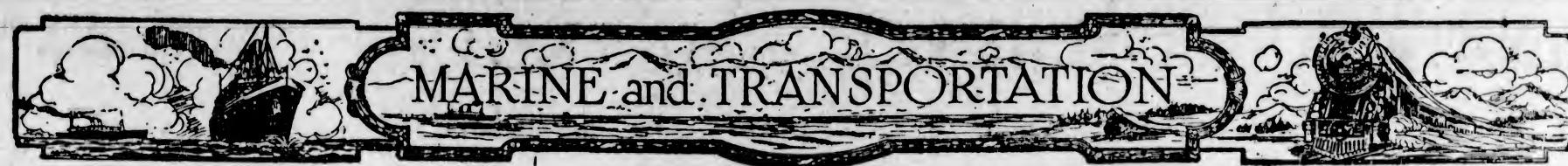
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## METAL PLANES START ACTION

Junkers Airplane Company  
Seeks to Restrain Ford  
Concern From Infringing  
Its Patents

### FEAR SAFETY OF FIVE IN LAUNCH

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., Dec. 10.—A search has proved fruitless for five men who went seaward in a motorboat from Lance Pigeon, near Cape Bauld, last Friday, according to news received here today. The men are Messrs. Absolom and Ronald Tucker, George Roberts, Solomon Goucher and Allan Miller.

### NEW STEAMSHIP LINES PLANNED

SUCCESS OF AUSTRALIA-BRIT-  
ISH COLUMBIA SERVICE  
COMMENTED UPON

Dominion Government Calls for  
Tenders on Canada-India  
Subsidized Route

OTTAWA, Dec. 11.—The Canadian Government has under consideration the establishment of several additional services for the promotion of Canadian trade abroad. Hon. James Malcolm, Minister of Trade and Commerce, announced today. This was the outcome of the success which followed the inauguration of the new government-subsidized steamship freight service between British Columbia and Australia. Tenders have been called for services from Eastern Canadian points to India, Ceylon and East Africa.

A great increase had been shown in the Canadian lumber trade with Australia, and the service to that country had been inaugurated. Mr. Malcolm stated that in 1928 the average shipment of lumber to Australia per month was 2,400,000 feet. During the four months the new service has been in existence, namely August, September, October and November, Canada's shipments of lumber to Australia have been extremely heavy.

### California Planes To Seek Lost Pilot

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—Two Falco cabin monoplanes, equipped to battle the storms of the frozen Arctic, were at Mills Field tonight awaiting the arrival of landing skis from Seattle before being shipped North, where they will be used in the search for Pilot Carl Ben Eleison.

### NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that an unwatched occulting acetylene light has been established at high water mark at Fort Rodd, Victoria Harbor. The elevation was established and is maintained by the Vancouver Harbor Commissioners.

A. W. R. WILBY,  
Agent, Marine Department,  
Victoria, B.C., December 9, 1929.

Certain reductions in pilotage rates at Newport have been agreed upon, as the result of conclusions reached by representatives of ship-owners and pilots. The decrease is not large, but it has been accepted by the pilots to understand, in view of certain economies which it is suggested can be effected in the cutter services in the Bristol Channel.

**GULF ISLANDS SERVICE**  
Effective December 2, 1929, the service will be: From Victoria, 7:15 a.m. Monday, to Ganges via the Gulf Islands. From Ganges, 7 a.m. Tuesday, to Victoria via the Gulf Islands. From Victoria, 7:15 a.m. Wednesday, to Ganges, returning same day. From Victoria, 7:15 a.m. Tuesday, to Ganges via the Gulf Islands. From Ganges, 7 a.m. Friday, to Vancouver via the Gulf Islands. From Vancouver, 7:15 a.m. Saturday, to Victoria via the Gulf Islands. The St. Princess Royal will leave Victoria, 11 a.m. Tuesday, to Vancouver via the Gulf Islands.

**SANFRANCISCO HOTEL STEWART**  
On Geary Street, just off Union Square, close to best stores, theatres, good accommodations at moderate rates. Located in the United States. Breakfast free. 10c. The Tatler, 10c. Sunday Times, 7c. Sunday Times, 11c. Sunday Times, 7c. Municipal car passes door. Stewart and his son, and daughters. Address him to make reservations in advance of arrival.

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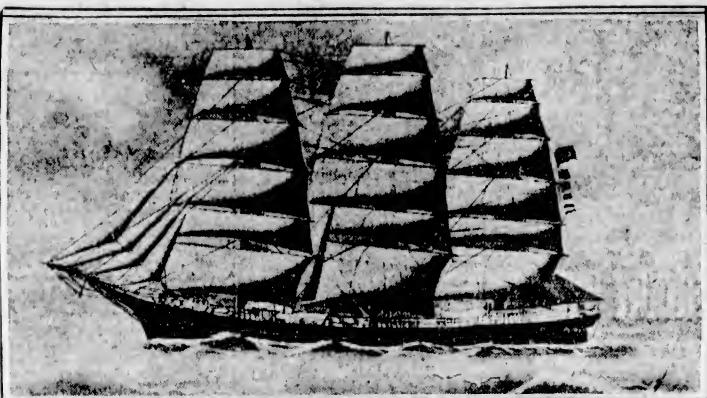
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### VESSEL ON WORLD TRIP AT FUNCHAL

Empress of Australia Completes  
First Lap of 30,000-Mile  
Voyage

FUNCHAL, Madeira, Dec. 11.—At 6 o'clock Monday evening the Empress of Australia, from New York, dropped anchor off the Funchal Roads, completing the first lap of her 30,000-mile cruise around the world.

Launches brought the passengers ashore where they met Funchal society at a ball held in the casino.

On Tuesday morning the Empress of Australia, from Funchal, started on the cog-wheel mountain railway to Raboira-do-Luca, 3,285 feet above sea level. On the return journey some of the more adventurous made the descent in carriage down the cobbles, steered by men who control the downward speed by long poles.

In the afternoon the visitors invaded the Madela Linen shops, giving the merchants an exceptionally busy and profitable time.

**Christmas Mails**

MONTRAL, Que., Dec. 10.—The first shipment of Christmas mails from overseas arrived by Canadian National Railways today from the Atlantic seaboard. Attached to a steamship special there are five cars carrying tons of letters and parcels.

One car is consigned to Montreal, one to Toronto, one to Winnipeg, one to Vancouver and one to Calgary. This consignment crossed the Atlantic on the Athenian and Australia.

**WEST COAST ROUTE**

Princess Macquaria leaves Victoria Dec. 12.

**NAVALMIO-VCUENTO**

Princess Elsie leaves Navalmio daily at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

**FROM SEATTLE**

Empress of Australia arrives daily at 1 p.m.

**WEST COAST ROUTE**

Princess Macquaria leaves Victoria Dec. 13.

**NAVALMIO-VCUENTO**

Princess Elsie leaves Navalmio daily at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

**VCUENTO-OCEAN FALLS-PRUFER**

Union steamships leave Vancouver 2 p.m. for Victoria, 4 p.m. for Victoria, 6 p.m. for Victoria, 8 p.m. for Victoria, 10 p.m. for Victoria, 12 a.m. for Victoria, 2 a.m. for Victoria, 4 a.m. for Victoria, 6 a.m. for Victoria, 8 a.m. for Victoria, 10 a.m. for Victoria, 12 p.m. for Victoria, 2 p.m. for Victoria, 4 p.m. for Victoria, 6 p.m. for Victoria, 8 p.m. for Victoria, 10 p.m. for Victoria, 12 a.m. for Victoria, 2 a.m. for Victoria, 4 a.m. for Victoria, 6 a.m. for Victoria, 8 a.m. for Victoria, 10 a.m. for Victoria, 12 p.m. for Victoria, 2 p.m. for Victoria, 4 p.m. for Victoria, 6 p.m. for Victoria, 8 p.m. for Victoria, 10 p.m. for Victoria, 12 a.m. for Victoria, 2 a.m. for Victoria, 4 a.m. for Victoria, 6 a.m. for Victoria, 8 a.m. for Victoria, 10 a.m. for Victoria, 12 p.m. for Victoria, 2 p.m. for Victoria, 4 p.m. for Victoria, 6 p.m. for Victoria, 8 p.m. for Victoria, 10 p.m. for Victoria, 12 a.m. for Victoria, 2 a.m. for Victoria, 4 a.m. for Victoria, 6 a.m. for Victoria, 8 a.m. 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## FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Pitch and Toss in Stocks  
At New York Is Followed  
By Broad Rise in Values

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Stock prices pitched and tossed nervously as trading slackened up sharply in today's market, and professional operators felt about for a trend. Bolstered by bullish demonstrations in selected issues, the list finally ended the day with substantial advances along the broad front.

The abrupt decline late yesterday seemed to have inspired caution anew, and many operators were inclined to lighten accounts or stick to the sidelines. Total sales were but 3,647,480 shares.

Radio came forward as a leader for the first time since September, rising about 6 points in turnover of more than 340,000 shares.

The fluctuations of United States Steel common, however, continued to guide market sentiment. The stock sold up 4-1/2 points but the gains were reduced to 1-1/2 points at the close.

Funds remained plentiful in the money market. Call loans held officially at 4-1/2, but the undertone was a little easier, some loans being

placed at 4 per cent in the outside market.

Bond prices made small changes in today's market, the dullest in three weeks. The list was again irregular, although there was a mild revival of interest in the late trading.

Declines outnumbered advances in the early hours, but some of these small losses were recovered as the session drew to its close and final prices proved to be about the best of the day.

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)  
(All Fractions in Eightieth)

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Foreign exchanges firm. Premiums: cables 2.93 13-16. Italy—4-23/4, cables 0.28%. Belgium—13 80/100. Germany—22 83/100. Holland—20 100/100. Norway—20 80/100. Sweden—28 50/100. Switzerland—19-43. Spain—13 92/100. Poland—13 80/100. Czechoslovakia—3 98/100. Yugoslavia—77 11/100. Austria—140/100. Rumania—60. Argentina—41 60. Brazil—84. Chile—48 80/100. Shanghai—55 06. Montreal—99 03/100.

## STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Demand 49/8; cables 468 14/4; sixty-day bills on banks 493 7-16.

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

Winnipeg, Dec. 10.—The market acted nervously today, and after advancing a half-cent over yesterday's close during the early period, prices made a nose-dive, rather suddenly to get 1 to 1-5/8 under the previous close. This loss was all recovered later, prices again getting back to the highest marks of the day, especially in the cash month, but top prices appeared to be difficult to hold. There was some fair buying of December grain by continental houses, while terminal interests were also buying December and selling May. There was concentrated selling of May under cover, one broker being credited with selling 1,000,000 bushels of the month. The speculative tendency in the two leaders on opening unsettled trading to a certain extent and declines were numerous at the close of the session.

International Nickel opened 50c lower at \$32.00 sold down to a low of \$31.75, and closed 23c lower at \$31.75, and closed 23c lower at \$31.75.

Canadian Pacific closed 10c lower at \$31.75.

Cerro de Pasco 82-7 80-1 82-4

Armour "A" 7-3 7-1 7-1

Ash's Dry Goods 35-3 35-3 35-2

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GRAIN MARKET  
IS ERRATIC IN  
CHIEF LINES

Rally at Winnipeg Before  
Close of Trading With Better  
Call for May Offerings  
—Argentine News Bullish

OATS SHOW  
SOME MOVEMENT

(Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

Winnipeg, Dec. 10.—The market acted nervously today, and after advancing a half-cent over yesterday's close during the early period, prices made a nose-dive, rather suddenly to get 1 to 1-5/8 under the previous close. This loss was all recovered later, prices again getting back to the highest marks of the day, especially in the cash month, but top prices appeared to be difficult to hold. There was some fair buying of December grain by continental houses, while terminal interests were also buying December and selling May. There was concentrated selling of May under cover, one broker being credited with selling 1,000,000 bushels of the month.

International Nickel opened 50c lower at \$32.00 sold down to a low of \$31.75, and closed 23c lower at \$31.75.

Canadian Pacific closed 10c lower at \$31.75.

Cerro de Pasco 82-7 80-1 82-4

Armour "A" 7-3 7-1 7-1

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Victoria Stock  
Exchange

Bid Asked

Barlow 18 .02 .02

Cork Provinces .05 .07

Connaught Florence .08 .09

Connaught Copper .11 .11

Premier 1.08 1.11

Rufus-Argente .10 .11

Silvercrest .00 1/2 .01

Unilever .18 .17

General's River .16 .16

Monteith .00 .00

Noble Pine .45 .48

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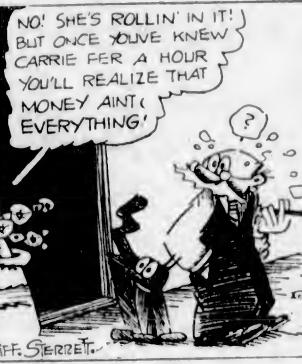


By Jack Wilhelm

## KRAZY KAT



## POLLY AND HER PALS



## Why Papa Went Bye-Bye

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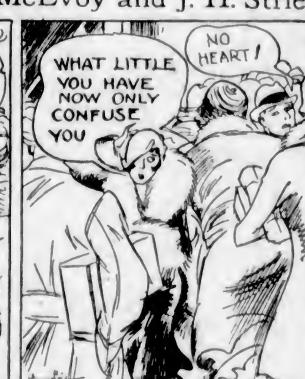
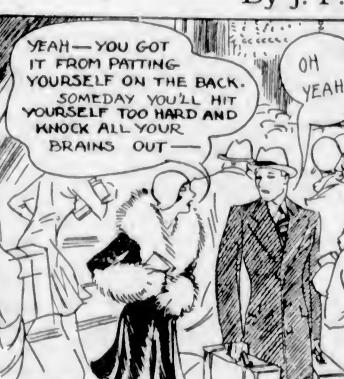
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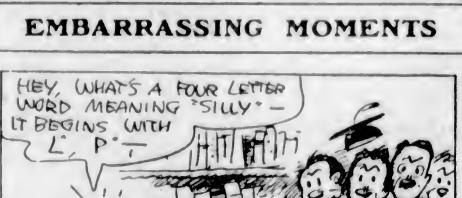
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## SHOW GIRL



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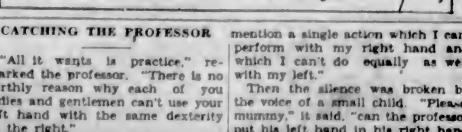
## SKIPPY

## The "Economical" Truth

By Percy L. Crosby



OH, WELL, IT JUST SHOWS WHAT A WOMAN WILL DO TO SAVE A DIME!



"All it wants is practice," remarked the professor. "There is no earthly reason why each of you ladies and gentlemen can't use your left hand with the same dexterity as the right."

Then the silence was broken by the voice of a small child. "Please, mummy," it said, "can the professor put his left hand in his right hand's trouser pocket?"

# COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE



THE NEBBS

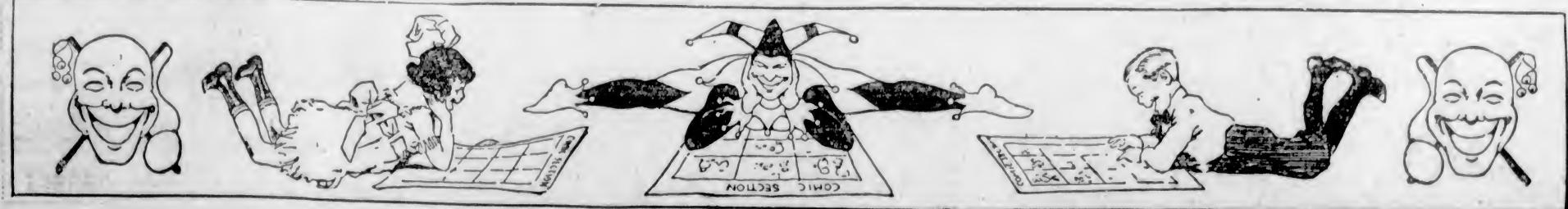
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The Value of Money

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By SOL HESS

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## RABBITS OF FINE BREED ON EXHIBIT

Victoria and Island Rabbit Breeder's Association Stages Best Show at Willows

### DEMONSTRATION OF SPINNING TODAY

The best rabbit show with which the Victoria and Vancouver Island Rabbit Breeders' Association ever had anything to do, was the way Mrs. Simmons, secretary, expresses herself yesterday. Between the 1000 or 1200 exhibitors tickets in the building at the Exhibition Grounds, where the show is in progress, continuing until Thursday evening. The wonderful condition of the fur represented by the animals on exhibition caused me to remark as she looked out of the window at the weather, that it was "fur time, anyway." The fact that as many as forty-five exhibitors were competing at the show was very gratifying to the officials, and testifies to the popularity of the exhibition. A particular fur-bearing animal is attaining locally. The predominant breeds exhibited are the New Zealand and the White Flemish, while there is an excellent showing of Himalayans and quite a few Angoras, the rabbit with the longest hair, which is a fine, lustrous, fine and excellent wool, making the most delicate of yarns. Chinchillas and Siberian hares are well represented, with a good variety of other breeds in the hutchies. Among the exhibitors are three from Mainland points, two from Up-Island, one from the Sunshine State. This latter entry being on the way, and was expected here this morning. Judging of the exhibits was proceeding yesterday afternoon, Mr. John H. Hickford officiating.

In connection with the live exhibits there is an interesting section devoted to all grades and conditions of pets, tanned and untrained, ready to be taken in hand by the expert and transformed into some attractive fur name for the making of ladies' fashionable fur pieces. Among manufactured articles displayed with the animals are handbags, baby caps and coats, muffs, neckpieces and dolly furs. This afternoon there will be an Angora wool spinning demonstration in connection with this exhibit.

**FEEL GOOD?**  
Most ailments start from poor nutrition (constipation or semi-constipation). Intestinal poisons sap vitality, render the body fatigued, try this: **NATURAL REMEDY**—all-natural corrective—not an ordinary laxative. See how NR will aid in restoring your system to health. It is safe, non-toxic, non-painful. **FEEL LIKE A MILLION, TAKE NR TO-NIGHT TOMORROW ALRIGHT**

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

### THE WHEAT POOL

Sir.—In writing to your paper, re-frained from mentioning the name of Mr. Bourne. Knowing full well that it would never be the first word of any letter to a mighty or controversial. In point of fact I wished it to be my first and last contribution to the subject. But, as Mr. Bourne has chosen to misconstrue my whole letter and to paint me as being that which I most decidedly am not, I hasten to reply.

If Mr. Bourne had placed my letter and his reply side by side and studied both he would have found I think, that his letter was most unfair and certainly not correct. My statement that certain people were blind to the economic value of the Pool, I still maintain. But I never stated that they were blind to the economic values of any commodity whatsoever. The Pool came into existence to secure for all of the farmers a fair deal, so making them a more contented and more self-respecting people than they have hitherto been and thereby a bigger and better asset to the country.

Being myself a consumer, I want to buy goods as cheap as I can, but I do want the producer to get as much for his goods as will assure him a fair profit and a decent living and I believe that is where the economic value of the Pool comes in. His efforts to secure for all of the farmers a fair deal, so making them a more contented and more self-respecting people than they have hitherto been and thereby a bigger and better asset to the country.

As it is not my intention to continue this controversy I will leave it to Mr. Bourne to judge whether he has come out of this inky combat with flying colors, but I will not attempt to tear away any laurels he may choose to wear.

**HARRIET LYDIA MATCHAM,**  
3211 Wascana Street, Victoria, B.C., December 9, 1929.

### MUNICIPAL PROBLEMS

Sir.—Judging by some of the remarks from correspondents in your today's issue, it would appear that some of the ratepayers are uneasy over the relative merits of the so-called pay-as-you-go policy as against Mayor Anscum's policy of borrowing; and as some timid ones seem to have been frightened by Alderman Marchant's statements, may I ask your indulgence to make some explanations on the pros and cons of the two policies.

Alderman Marchant states that the city has a population of about 10 miles in 1890 to 41 miles in 1929, and puts it down to the borrowing policy. Let us analyze the situation. Included in the 41 miles of 1929 is about 13 miles represented by school tax, over which the city has no control, but is controlled by the School Trustees. This leaves 28 miles to account for. As a direct consequence of the war there were many reversions of property, which at one time represented pretty near five million dollars. In assessed value, this reverted property paid no taxes, so that its share was taken care of by the tax-paying properties. This must account for five or six miles of the increased rate. Then assessments on properties have, during the last few years, been considerably reduced, and as fixed charges must be met, the rate had to be increased. On the whole, it is not so much the borrowing policy which has accounted for the heavy tax rates, as the war.

A "pay-as-you-go" policy means an increased tax rate since the present generation, in fact the present taxpayers, must bear the full cost of improvements which will benefit future generations, unless the advocates of that policy intend to follow a policy of stagnation and decay through being frightened by their own shadows.

The heavy part of the past borrowings has been for the Sooke waterworks, the sewers and the cement sidewalks and boulevards, and the asphalted roads. Were these works necessary, and were the small farmer the same price as the past aldermen justified in under-

## Under-Secretaries Shuffle



**A**MONG several changes in the Parliamentary secretariat of the Ramsey MacDonald Labor Government is that of the transfer of William L. Wright, to be Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, in the place of A. A. Ponsonby, left, who becomes Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Transport.

taking them at the time? Let us look back.

In the period 1912 to 1914 immigrants were pouring into Canada at the rate of 400,000 to 450,000 a year. Victoria was getting its share, and when I landed in 1913 rooms were difficult to get, notwithstanding building operations were going on all over the place. The Panama Canal was being dug and was expected to be completed in 1915. The Panama Canal Commission was expected. The latest Directory for the year 1914 for Greater Victoria showed a population of 76,000, and the city was 100,000 in 1912 and 200,000 within ten years. There was a boom. Money was cheap, the city could borrow at 3 1/4 to 4 1/4 per cent. One thought of the possibility of a war in the immediate offing, and the city was justified in providing for the future expected population, especially when money was cheap.

The first Balkan War of 1913 checked the boom, tightened up the money market and brought the first after-math of the war. This caused a general depression and things slowed down. This bled over, and things were beginning to recover when the Great War broke out.

Victoria and its neighborhood sent over 10,000 to the front, and lost a further 10,000 in womenfolk going to Europe to be near their loved ones and alien enemies going to the States. The loss of population was a serious blow. Houses were empty and it was difficult to get an income even to pay taxes. The moratorium for soldiers lasted from 1914 to 1920, or was it 1922? When the moratorium was over properties began to revert heavily, simply because the recovery of the effect of the war and things slowed down. As the war over, and things were beginning to recover when the Great War broke out.

There is one great difference, however, as we give students the benefit of attending our eight concerts for the small sum of one dollar, and have now increased the amount charged in our membership fee. Along with every other organization, we have to compete with good concerts heard over the radio, and the oftentimes splendid entertainments at the theatres. As a result of this competition, no one organization has been successful in getting audiences of sufficient size to warrant the expense of mounting a concert. I speak from actual experience as a member of the Ladies' Musical Club, and from what I have seen or heard have reliable sources. If I am wrong in saying no one organization has felt compensated this season for its efforts I am quite willing to acknowledge my mistake.

Our scheme of work for the season was made up in August. It was given wide publicity by the press and by printed notices sent out by the club. We spent a great deal of time in arranging a programme that would please the majority of members. We arranged to have afternoon concerts for those who could attend the club in the afternoon, and we had half the concert in the evening, so that those who could not attend the afternoon ones. We arranged three for active members, and to attract those who had attended the "Artist Series" concerts we engaged professionals to give four concerts. And these strictly professional concerts, two of them at the beginning of the season and two in the middle part, were and are to be some of the best talent on the Pacific Coast.

We provided, too, in our scheme of work that at the afternoon recitals we would serve tea at a nominal charge, and hoped that would perhaps bring members together. All these things meant extra expense for the benefit of the members, and the membership committee as well as the programme committee. We now find ourselves in the unhappy position of having to rely upon our reserve fund to carry out the year's work, unless we have an influx of new members. The remaining concerts, the December one at the Crystal Garden on the 18th and the January one in the same time and place, Early Bently Dow and John Hopper in February at the Shrine Temple, Pearl McDonald, lecturer of Seattle, assisted by Verna Bissell Brooks, of Vancouver, and the Crystal Garden in March, and one in April which has not yet been arranged for; these concerts are quite worth the membership fee of three dollars.

The club executive realizes it mistake in embarking upon such an ambitious programme without increasing the yearly dues; but we would attract enough members, together with single admission fees, to warrant its adoption. We have been called "commercial" at times, but for pure entertainment, the atrium I do not have any competitors. If a musical club were a commercial affair, we could no do better than have a paid secretary to do nothing except work up the membership. There seems to be a prejudice against this, however, and until this is overcome we must go on as best we can. I have a few friends in the club, in the personnel of the house of directors which might arouse interest in the club, and I wish to announce now that my name will not appear in the list of those who will be voted upon at the annual meeting in May. Several members of the executive have expressed their intention of taking the same stand, and I will be interested in seeing what the club does.

As for "Joint-Ease," it is prepared only for people who have a swollen, painful, crooked, distorted or stiff joint, whether it be knee, elbow, shoulder, ankle, neck or finger and whether it is caused by rheumatism or something else.

Of course, it can't help but quickly put an end to such superficial ails as lumbago, neuralgia, neuritis, aching muscles, stitch in the side, crick in the neck or sore feet, because of its penetrating nature, but what it is really recommended for is joint ailments of any nature whatever.

Ask for a tube of "Joint-Ease." You can use it several times in one evening for quick results, because it goes right through the skin with only a few seconds' rubbing. It surely is a swift penetrator.

The piles is made that the next generation should help to pay, as it enjoys in part the benefits. But in doing so it is required that a portion of the capital shall be set aside each year and the interest of the which must also be paid during the loan period. Hence the enormous.

It is made in Canada—costs only 90 cents. All druggists here dispense it daily, as do first-class druggists everywhere. (Advt.)

was indefatigable in his efforts in behalf of this committee, and the result of the land department under his chairmanship was most gratifying. Alderman Marchant's great knowledge of civic affairs and civic finance and his willingness at all times to serve in any capacity were real assets to the City Council.

I agree with Alderman Marchant's contention on the "pay as you go" policy. To those citizens who are in agreement with this policy I would strongly recommend that they vote for both Alderman Dewar and Alderman Marchant at the forthcoming election.

Some of the aldermen opposed the increase in the aldermanic salary but all accepted it; therefore Aldermen Dewar and Marchant are no more to be censured for the increased remuneration than other aldermen who stated they were against the increase but accepted it.

It is my candid opinion that it would be impossible to find higher calling and with a higher sense of duty to serve on the City Council than Alderman Marchant or Alderman Dewar.

**BEATRIX F. CAMERON,**  
President British America Paint Company, Limited, Victoria, B.C., December 9, 1929.

**J. C. PENDRAY,**  
President British America Paint Company, Limited, Victoria, B.C., December 9, 1929.

**LADIES' MUSICAL CLUB**  
Sir.—At the December meeting of the Ladies' Musical Club it was decided, in view of the fact that the membership had not sufficiently increased this year to meet the expenses of the elaborate scheme of borrowing, when by judicious waiting for a few years, with much failure and expense, there is every possibility of a restored prosperity.

It is far better to retrench at some inconvenience than to bank in gaudy colors of a welter of expenditure. Who can deny that the prudent financial engagements of Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich have resulted in large building programmes of residence, in which turn has resulted in lesser taxation? Why not learn the lesson from our neighbors, and why not continue as we began in 1922 with a resolve "Pay As You Go" programme.

Let me also point out to your wrath that the City Council cannot control the expenditure of the school board, and it is fairly certain that extraordinary expenditure for new buildings will be required, for not a few of our old schoolhouses must soon be demolished. The new ones, old Esquimalt, Ridge, Kingston and Rock Bay buildings, which are over forty years old, will shortly become derelict and the education authorities of the city will demand money for replacement. If large demands are made, these loans will be asked for. And so on.

"Pay As You Go" and only to "Go As You Can Pay."

The press is often flooded with letters asking for improved parks, better playgrounds for sports, a civic centre, including a city hall and auditorium, and many other things of lesser note. All these things are real lesser evils, but the answer lies in the sworn tax rate.

Hence, I oppose borrowing as far as it is possible to avoid it for the next few years. I support all fair and reasonable demands for roads, sidewalks and parks that can be provided through the annual revenue.

It is noticeable that this year our gross debt will be reduced only (using round figures) \$100,000, which is a very poor recommendation for the launching of a programme of \$1,850,000 expenditure by law for public works.

**W. MARCHANT,**  
Alderman, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., December 9, 1929.

**MUNICIPAL ELECTION**  
Sir.—Referring to Mr. H. Hastings' letter\* in the Colonist of December 7, where he bitterly attacks my colleagues, Alderman Dewar and Alderman Marchant, on the "salary grab" as he calls it. In answer to Mr. Hastings' remarks, particularly in conclusion, his letter, he says: "the ratepayers to come out and vote for a better and cleaner Council with a higher sense of duty to the taxpayers and that those who voted to help themselves by the salary grab should be checked out emphatically." Let me state that during my four years as Mayor, both the above named aldermen proved to be of valuable assistance to me. Alderman Dewar, as chairman of the land committee,

It is well to remind Alderman Marchant and the timid ones, who seem to want their cake and eat it, that you cannot build up a city for twenty years for less than at least 50 per cent more in cost, and 50 per cent more in interest rate; and if the "pay-as-you-go" policy had been adopted in connection with these works, the first section would have decayed before the last was ready for use. Alderman Dewar is a champion in this time. He is too timid, except where the salary increase is concerned. Timidity cannot build up a great and prosperous city. Keep a level head and go to it; let us vote for progress and support all aldermanic candidates who are prepared to support the Mayor.

**H. HASTINGS**  
Tyee Siding, B.C., December 10, 1929.

**PROGRESS WITH ECONOMY**  
**J. A. SHANKS**  
Candidate for Alderman, will speak over Radio CFCT tonight.

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**"TWO YEARS' GENUINE SERVICE"**

**BOB SMITH**  
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**For Alderman**

I Respectfully Solicit Your

Vote and Influence

**ALEX. PEDEN**

Vigorous policy lowering taxes—consulting the ratepayers on all important questions—no increase in aldermanic allowance is portion of my platform.

Your Support Is Asked

**R. T. WILLIAMS**

For Alderman

**A. C. PIKE**

For Alderman

A GOOD RECORD:

5 Years Library Board

4 Years School Board

28 Years in Victoria

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**Candidate for Alderman**

To the electors—I beg to say that I

am a candidate for re-election. Please

me that I have not betrayed the trust

placed in me on former occasions. I

would respectfully ask you to again

favor me with your vote and influence.

**A. McGAVIN**

FOR

Police Commissioner

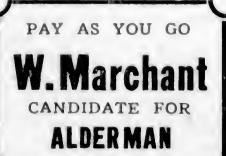
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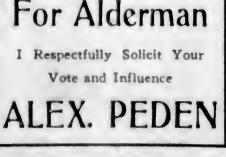
**Ald. J. L. Mara**  
For Re-election



**W. Marchant**  
CANDIDATE FOR ALDERMAN



**Jas. S. McMillan**  
For Re-election as SCHOOL TRUSTEE



**A. C. Pike**  
For Alderman

## WILLOWS HAS Poultry Show

Fine Standard of Local Birds Now on Exhibition in Fair Grounds Building  
Entries Total 400

### JUDGING WILL BE COMPLETED TODAY

The aristocrats of local poultry circles are on exhibition for several days this week in the poultry building at the Exhibition Grounds under the auspices of the Victoria Poultry Association. The show opened yesterday afternoon and will continue until Thursday night.

In all classes, the entries total four hundred, a slight increase over the number of birds on exhibition in the last show. Many varieties are represented, among them being such showy birds as the Black Minorca, Silver Spangled Hamburgs and Barred Plymouth Rocks. In the utility section the entries cover a wide range, including such as the Brown Speckled, Marans, White Leghorns, White Wyandottes and Rhode Island Reds. In point of numbers, chief among the exhibits are the Single Comb Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns.

The quality of the birds competing is of the highest standard, the judges commenting on the general excellence of the show as a whole, and fanciers have a splendid opportunity of viewing the best poultry owned locally while the present exhibition is in progress.

The birds are judged in two classes—exhibition and utility. Mr. H. E. Waby, of Salmon Arm, judging the latter.

Egg entries were conspicuous by their absence, only a very limited number of lots being entered, the present demand for fresh eggs, in the opinion of the secretary, undoubtedly being the cause of the lack of entries. At a late hour yesterday afternoon, the results of the judging, then completed, gave

Messrs. D. Nicol, T. Edward, J. Greg and C. F. Schofield, the majority of the judges, a unanimous verdict late today, on the awarding of special prizes necessitating careful attention on the part of the judges.

In the exhibition classes yesterday, the following varieties were judged and awards made:

#### YESTERDAY'S AWARDS

White Leghorns—Cock, 1. D. Nicol; 2. H. D. Reid; hen, 1. D. Nicol; 2. H. D. Reid; cockerel, 1. D. Nicol; pullet, 1. 2 and 3. D. Nicol; young hen, 1. D. Nicol.

Light Sussex—Cock, 1. H. F. Williams; 2. H. Nan Carroll; hen, 1. 2 and 3. H. D. Reid; cockerel, 1. H. Nan Carroll; pullet, 1 and 2. H. Nan Carroll.

Light Brahma—Cock, 1 and 2; hen, 1, 2 and 3; cockerel, 1, 2 and 3; pullet, 1, 2 and 3; young hen, 1; young pullet, 1; all by T. Edward.

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds—Cock, 1. D. Nicol; 2. E. Greenwood; 3. J. D. Lismore; hen, 1. D. Nicol; 2, 3, 4 and 5. H. D. Reid; cockerel, 1. H. D. Reid; 2. Gavins Jack; 3. D. Nicol; 4. D. Lismore; pullet, 1, 2 and 3. D. Nicol; 4 and 5. H. D. Reid; 6, 6 and 7. J. D. Lismore.

Single Comb Black Minorca—Cock, 1. J. Greig; 2 and 3. J. Leiper; hen, 1. J. Greig; 2, 3, 4 and 5. J. Leiper; cockerel, 1, 2 and 3. J. Greig; pullet, 1, 3, 4 and 5. J. Greig; 2, Mrs. Greig.

## Has Famous Ancestress



MISS Rachel Secord, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. E. M. Secord, of Guelph, Ont., and granddaughter of Laura Secord, famous in Canadian history as the heroine of the War of 1812, became the bride of Mr. Frederick Minkler, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Minkler, of Woodstock, Ont., on November 9, in Grace Church-on-the-Hill, Toronto. The picture shows the happy couple.—Copyright by Star Newspaper Service.

Sparrowhawk, old pen, 1. J. Greig; Brother A. W. Daws, K.O.M., P.G.P., to be followed immediately by the bearer of the jewels, Brother H. Flitton, K.O.M., and bearer of the insignia of peace, Brother W. S. Daws, C.P., the knights-elect and their sponsors. Brother P. Jordan, C.P., and Brother Chas. Jasper, C.P., sponsored Brother Goldsmith, C.P., Brother W. J. Goode, C.P., and Bro. Bennett, C.P., who sponsored Brother M. MacKay, C.P.

Light Plymouth Rock—Cockerel, 1 and 2, A. E. Nix. White Plymouth Rock—Cock, 1, 2 and 3; cockerel, 1, 2 and 3; pullet, 1, 2 and 3; old pen, 1 and 2; young hen, 1. A. E. Nix; cockerel, 1, 2 and 3. S. Honeychurch, pullet, 1 and 2, S. Honeychurch.

Dark Barred Rocks—Cock, 1. A. E. Nix; hen, 1. A. E. Nix; cockerel, 1, 2 and 3. S. Honeychurch, pullet, 1 and 2, S. Honeychurch.

Following the ceremony, toasts were given to the newly-made knights. Provincial Grand Lodge of British Columbia and the visitors, and were responded to by the newly-made knights and the P.G. Primo, the rest of the evening being spent in a convivial manner. Brother C. G. P., Brother G. F. Gibbons, and a brother sang and a brother recited songs, and a brother gave selections on his banjo. Brother T. Thompson, C.P., city minstrel, was the accompanist. Refreshments were served during the evening and the best thanks of the members are due to the committee who had the arrangements in hand, and the brother artists. The guard of honor, composed of the following: Brothers B. Mackie, C.P., and Brother A. G. Jacques, C.P., sword bearers; Brothers P. L. Moore, F. S. Davies, E. Lister and E. Phillips, bearers of the wands.

Success consists of doing the common things of life uncommonly well.

On Saturday evening an interesting ceremony took place, under the auspices of the R.A.O.B., Provincial Grand Lodge of British Columbia, and the Prince of Victoria Lodge, 4967, when two brothers of the order had conferred on them the Knight Order of Merit. Brother Ernest E. Goldsmith, C.P., P.D.P. Grand Master, with M. A. G. C.P., Provincial Grand Primo-elect for the year 1930, were the two brothers on whom the honor was conferred; prior to knights-elect entering the lodgeroom a guard of honor was formed under directorship of the director of ceremonies, Brother G. F. Gibbons, C.P., and entered the room with the installing officer.

Success consists of doing the common things of life uncommonly well.

## Gift Shopping News for Today

### Women's Fur-Trimmed COATS

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**\$15.00**



Broadcloth Coats and a few Sports Models in check effects; trimmed with tinted mouflon and coney furs. Shades include brown, blue, rosewood, navy and black. Sizes 16 to 44. Each. **\$15.00**

—Mante Dept., 1st Floor

### Imported Cardigans

Cardigans of silk and wool, made with long sleeves, two patch pockets and three-button fastening. In striped effects only, the predominating shades being scarlet, powder blue, royal, bronze and olive. Each. **\$1.50**

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

### Women's Gift Hosiery

270 Pairs of Women's Full-Fashioned Thread Silk Hose. Service and semi-service weight silk to the garter hem. Narrowed ankles and feet, with "Slendo" and pointed heels. Suntan, hermosa, breeze, patio, beechnut, haze and gunmetal. Sizes 8½ to 10. A pair. **\$1.29**



—Hosiery, Main Floor

### Girls' Flannelette Nightgowns

Special at

**\$1.00**

Girls' White Flannelette Nightgowns, daintily trimmed with colored stitching; slip-over style with short sleeves. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Special, each. **\$1.00**

—Mante Dept., 1st Floor

Girls' Flannelette Nightgowns, made with long sleeves and button fastening at the neck. Trimmed with dainty colored stitching. Sizes 6 to 12 years. Special at, each. **\$1.00**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Rayon Nightgowns and Pyjamas

Make Dainty Gifts

Rayon Silk Nightgowns in smartly-tailored effects, with cutwork, handsome embroidery or two-tone appliques for trimming. In peach, apricot, Nile, mauve and sunni. Each. **\$3.75**

Rayon Pyjamas in fascinating two-tone effects with painted designs. A suit. **\$3.95**

Three-Quarter-Length Coat to match. **\$3.95**

Rayon Silk Pyjamas in several smart two-toned and embroidered effects. In orchid, gold, red, black and Nile. A suit. **\$4.95**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

### Rayon Silk Slips

**\$2.75**

Slips of lovely quality in shades of peach, Nile, orchid, white, sunni, sunstone, azure, platinum and black. Built-up shoulders or opera top. **\$2.75**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

### Girls' Broad-cloth Slips

Special at **\$1.00**

Girls' Broadcloth Slips with built-up shoulders, finished with deep embroidered hemline. In white only. Sizes 6 to 16 years. Special at, each. **\$1.00**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor



### Lace Brassieres and Corset Belts

Beige Lace Brassieres, imported direct from Paris, mold the figure to the fashionable shape. Very attractive in all-over lace style with fancy peach shoulder straps. Each. **\$1.50**

Corset belt models of all-over lace and peach elastic; well-shaped and hooked on side; four narrow peach garters. Each. **\$2.50**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

### CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Children's Long Stockings in "Little Daisy" make. Durable quality wool hose in all popular shades.

Sizes 4½ to 5½, a pair. **50¢**

Sizes 6 to 7½, a pair. **60¢**

Sizes 8 to 10, a pair. **79¢**

All-Wool Golf Hose in medium and wide-ribbed styles. Shown in all smart shades with contrasting-colored cuff tops. Sizes 6½ to 10. A pair. **79¢**

—Lower Main Floor



### Women's Smart Gloves

French Kid Gloves in a choice selection; novelty cuffs of plain tailored slip-on styles. A pair. **\$2.50** to **\$4.50**

Washable Deerskin Gloves in pull-on or regulation wrist-length styles. Smart and durable. A pair. **\$2.95**

Fur-Trimmed Chamoisette Gloves, lined with fleece and in gauntlet style. A pair. **\$1.00** to **\$1.50**

Fur-Trimmed Gloves in choice skins and popular styles. All are seamless, wool-lined. A pair. **\$4.50** to **\$5.95**

—Lower Main Floor

### 24 Only, Novelty Gift Cushions

Special, **\$1.98**

Novelty Rayon Cushions; round, heart, oval and half-moon shapes. On sale this morning. **\$1.98**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

### GIFT TOWELS

Fancy Towel Sets consisting of one or two bath towels with wash cloths to match; all with fancy colored borders. Priced from, per set. **45¢** to **\$2.95**

—Staples, Main Floor

### "Alco" Chenille Art Bedroom Rugs

English Chenille Bedroom Rugs, in popular art colors with decorative borders and fringed ends. Shades include rose, blue, helio and grey.

Size 2 x 3 ft. **\$2.50**

Size 2 x 4 ft. **\$3.75**

Size 2 ft. 3 in. x 4 ft. 6 in., each. **\$4.95**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

### Men's Lined "Cape" Gloves

Regular a Pair **\$3.50**

for

**\$1.95**

Cape Skin Gloves, in brown, grey and tan, lined and with dome fastener. All sizes. A pair. **\$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Men's Leather Belts

Each, **\$1.00**

Leather Belts with initial buckles. Brown, tan and black. All sizes. Priced at, each. **\$1.00**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Men's Handkerchiefs

Inexpensive Gifts

White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, in soft finish. **2 for 25¢**

White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, made in Ireland. Special at 3 for **25¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### Men's Garters and Arm Bands

Silk Elastic Arm Bands, boxed for gifts; also Silver or Gilt-Finish Expanding Bands. Each. **25¢**

Men's Garters of strong elastic web. A variety of colors. A pair. **25¢**

Silk Elastic Garters, narrow or wide; assorted fancy patterns. **50¢** and **\$1.00**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### "THE CHOCOLATE SOLDIER"

Waltz Medley

A new 12-inch Victor record, played by the International Orchestra. Priced at. **\$1.50**

—Mute Dept., Lower Main Floor

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